



## **VENONA**



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Your no. 613[a]. The incident involving GRAUBER[i] should be regarded as a compromise of MLAD[ii]. The cause of this is ALEKSEJ's[iii] completely unsatisfactory work with the agents [AGENTURA] on ENORMOUS[ENORMOZ][iv]. His work with [9 groups unrecovered] for this reason we consider it of the utmost importance to ensure supervision so that the C OUNTRY[b][v]

## [23 groups unrecoverable]

we once more [3 groups unrecovered] attention to [2 groups unrecovered] our instructions. For the future [4 groups unrecovered] immediately inform us by telegraph about each meeting [with the agents of ENORMOUS. In [C% the next post] [3 groups unrecovered] on this same question to send the most precise reports on meetings,

[14 groups unrecovered]

[C% every] meeting with permanent staff[KADROVYJ]

[14 groups unrecovered]

from all these areas. You

[18 groups unrecovered]

to seek safe flats in the areas of the camps[vi]. This question you must

[17 groups unrecovered]

our workers on the development

. [35 groups unrecovered]

GRAUBER case meetings[c] of our operational worker with MLAD [you] must [4 groups unrecovered]

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Not available. Notes: [a] Or possibly "[in] the COUNTRY". [b] Or "meeting". [c] Comments: GRAUBER: An error for ·[i] MLAD: i.e. YOUNG. [ii] ALEKSEJ: Anatolij Antonovich YaKOVLEV, an employee [iii] at the Soviet Consulate in NEW YORK. ENORMOUS: Manhatten Engineering District [U.S. Atomic [iv] Energy Project). COUNTRY: U.S.A. [v] Camps[LAGER']: Probably a reference to atomic energy [vi] sites. Camp-2 is LOS ALAMOS, New Mexico. VIKTOR: Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN. [vii]